Office of Assistant Treasurer U. S.,

New York, Sept 4th, 1879

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Some of them have been returned by express from a distance and the charges are generally more than the value of the boxes.

Should any boxes come to you, marked as above, I will thank you to have the marks removed before sending them out.

Very respectfully

W. A. Wheeler

Asst Treasurer U.S.

A London Snowden Esq.
Supt U.S. Mint.
Philadelphia.
Pa

RG104 E-1 Box 118

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Office of Assistant Treasurer U. S.,

NEW YORK,

Sept 4, 1879.

Thos. Hillhouse

Assistant Treasurer U. S.

Complaining of the action to time of Empty Coin boxes & the Expense.

Requests some means to be adopted.

No. of Enclosures,

Recd Sept. 5th 1879.

RG104 E-1 Box 118

ADAMS EXPRESS COMPANY,

(184) *622 Chestnut Street,*

PHILADELPHIA, PA. ..... 187 .

I have given instructions to have the "Ass't Sec'y" detached from all Boxes – They are marked with a Stencil "Return this Box" nothing more –

Where the Box is returned by the Adams Express Co. they come free – When other Company charge for them I let them pick the Box if they will not deliver it without charge

G. A. Thompson

RG104 E-1 Box 118

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[Letter Two:]

Adams Express Company,
Philadelphia, Pa.

I have given instructions to have the "Asst. Treas." scratched from all boxes. They are marked with a stencil "Return this Box" nothing more.

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